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REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions for a five-month extension of time to respond to the
Notice of Missing Parts dated June 21, 2001.

A check in the amount of \$1,960.00 is enclosed to cover the cost of the extension
of time.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge
any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

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